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SUBJECT: SHIPPING: PROPOSED LATIN AMERICAN-CARIBBEAN
SHIPPING VENTURE

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1. A FIVE MAN MEXICAN MISSION HEADED BY VICE-ADMIRAL RICARDO
CHAZARO LARA MET WITH ACTING FONMIN PINEDA, MINFIN ACOSTA
AND VICE MINECON DIAZ ON FEB. 28 TO DISCUSS CREATION OF
MILITNATIONAL CARIBBEAN-AREA SHIPPING ORGANIZATION. PRESS
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QUOTED ACOSTA AS SAYING THAT MEXICANS COULD COUNT ON "TOTAL

SYMPATHY" OF GOH IN EFFORTS TO ESTABLISH ORGANIZATION. DIAZ
WAS REPORTED TO HAVE REFERRED TO HIS "PERSONAL INTEREST" AND
"INTEREST OF GOH" IN THE FORMATION OF THE SHIPPING ENTITY.
PINEDA'S REACTION WAS NOT REPORTED.

2. MISSION DEPARTED FOR MEXICO CITY AFTER CONCLUDING
DISCUSSIONS. PRESS REPORTS THAT TWO MEETINGS ARE SCHEDULED
TO CONSOLIDATE DATA FROM DISCUSSIONS ALREADY HELD WITH
11 OF 17 NATIONS INVITED TO FORM THE ORGANIZATION. THE FIRST
IS SCHEDULED FOR MEXICO CITY IN MID-MARCH AND THE SECOND FOR
SAN JOSE, COSTA RICA AT AN AS YET UNSPECIFIED DATE.

3. EMBASSY INFORMED BY CONTACT IN HONDURAN PORT AUTHORITY
THAT DIRECTOR OF PORT AUTHORITY AND MINECON BENNATON ARE
CHIEF ADVOCATES OF PROPOSAL IN HONDURAS.

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